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# TWO FARMERS APPEAR IN COURT IN T. B. CASE

Norman  
Baker  
(HIMSELF)



Hello  
Folks

THINK — the way the crowds keep coming to our meetings—makes one realize that FARMERS ARE BEGINNING TO THINK—and if they are beginning to THINK—it won't be long until things begin to happen in this STATE—there are a lot of things the farmers can find to THINK ABOUT—that they won't like when they do begin to THINK—such as state officers refusing to ARBITRATE about the T. B. testing matter and INSISTING upon the TUBERCULIN TEST when the proof shows the MILK TEST would accomplish what the law desires—rid cow's milk of T. B. germs—because the tuberculin method only succeeds in ridding the farmers of COWS.

WHAT IF EVERYONE should suddenly wake up to CONDITIONS AS THEY ARE?—wouldn't there be some big surprises for the old party leaders next year?—Just imagine what would happen if FARMERS, LABORERS AND COMMON FOLKS should suddenly realize they are being STUNG GOOD AND PLENTY—by the men elected to OFFICE to PROTECT THE PEOPLE—everyone knows there is something wrong BUT FEW HAVE TRIED TO FIND OUT WHAT—just a little consideration for the folks who have to PAY THE TAXES would help a little—farmers now work ONE WEEK OF EVERY FIVE just to pay their taxes—this statement is based on all farmers in the COUNTRY—with crops at present low levels in price—SOME OF THEM probably work LONGER THAN THAT to pay taxes.

CHARLES CITY—a dandy town surrounded by fine country inhabited by PROGRESSIVE FARMERS—who are anxious to learn the truth—and say they have been getting little of it SINCE K-TNT WAS CLOSED—a great many of them came to me and told me about THEIR TROUBLES—which include the same kind of a fight that the CEDAR COUNTY BOYS are making against enforced testing of their cattle by the FALLOCIUS TUBERCULIN METHOD—they have not been landed on as hard as the Cedar county boys—AS YET—but expect they will be WHEN ATTORNEY GENERAL FLETCHER'S office gets around to them—the state has been pretty busy in Cedar county so far—and will probably be kept busy for SOME TIME to come.

RECLAIMING LAND—the government and different states are still doing it—why?—there is more land under cultivation now than anyone knows what to do with—THE MORE LAND they reclaim—the harder up the FARMERS are going to be—better get the farm land now farmed to paying before hunting around for MORE LAND TO FARM.

BEATS DRUM 51 YEARS—that's the record of a man in Canada—if sticking to one thing MEANS SUCCESS—that man ought to be RICH but I'll bet he isn't—STICKING TO ONE THING gets one into too deep a RUT—sometimes it's better to TRY SEVERAL THINGS—improving all the TIME—or you will GET INTO A RUT so deep people will LOOK RIGHT OVER YOU—and not know you are down there.

CRAINE—it doesn't pay and never DID PAY—William LaTrasse in 1917 staged a bold train robbery and got \$225—AND TEN YEARS IN PRISON—he had a sweetheart—Miss Hazel Henderson—WHO WAITED FOR HIM—now they are married—his excursion into crime COST HIM ten years of his life and COST HIS SWEETHEART—ten years of waiting for him.

WISCONSIN COUPLE—were married recently and 1,000 guests attended the wedding—that was fine—but 500 WERE SERVED with the wedding dinner—the couple could have had a swell dinner every day for 500 DAYS for what it cost to have their friends SEE THEM MARRIED—any way they ought to feel WELL MARRIED.

## FLOYD AND CHICKASAW COUNTY FARMERS GIVE BAKER WELCOME

### 3,000 PEOPLE HEAR TALK AT CHARLES CITY

#### Farmers Are Eager to Co-operate in One Gigantic Union

CHARLES CITY, Ia.—(Special)—That the farmers of Floyd and Chickasaw counties are eager to co-operate in Norman Baker's plan for one gigantic farm organization was evident Sunday night when they expressed their approval by loudly cheering the Muscatine man at a meeting attended by approximately 3,000. Norman Baker, who is being prominently mentioned as a possible candidate for governor, spoke for two hours and 24 minutes at the city park here and spent considerable time after the meeting making the personal acquaintance of many who said they felt they knew him through having heard his voice by radio from station K-TNT.

When Mr. Baker explained his plan to unite the farmers of the state into a huge organization so that they could work as a unit, he asked those present who would welcome such a plan to raise their hands. Hundreds of hands were raised in all parts of the crowd.

#### Cattle Testing Resisted

The farmers of Floyd and Chickasaw counties have also been resisting the testing of their cattle by the tuberculin method although the state has not as yet used the harsh methods pursued in Cedar county.

A public address system enabled the vast crowd to hear the speaker with ease.

Mr. Baker laid great stress upon the present Cedar county trouble over the compulsory bovine T. B. test law, and said he had sent a telegram to Governor Hartman asking him to lend the support of his office towards a fair hearing for Cedar county farmers.

The speaker appealed such men in the state as John Fletcher, attorney general of Iowa, and Gerald Blake, assistant attorney general. Men like these are trying to keep the truth away from the public and

### Many Hurt, One Seriously, In Muscatine Area Sunday

#### RARE MALADY KILLS IOWAN

NEWTON, Ia.—(INS)—A rare disease, only 200 cases of which are on record in medical history, today had claimed the life of Nelle Parker, 23, of Kellogg, Ia.

Miss Parker died late Sunday of agammaglobulinemia, a disease which causes degeneration of the white corpuscles in the blood. She had been ill for nearly a year, and was brought to a hospital here Thursday. Two blood transfusions failed to save her life.

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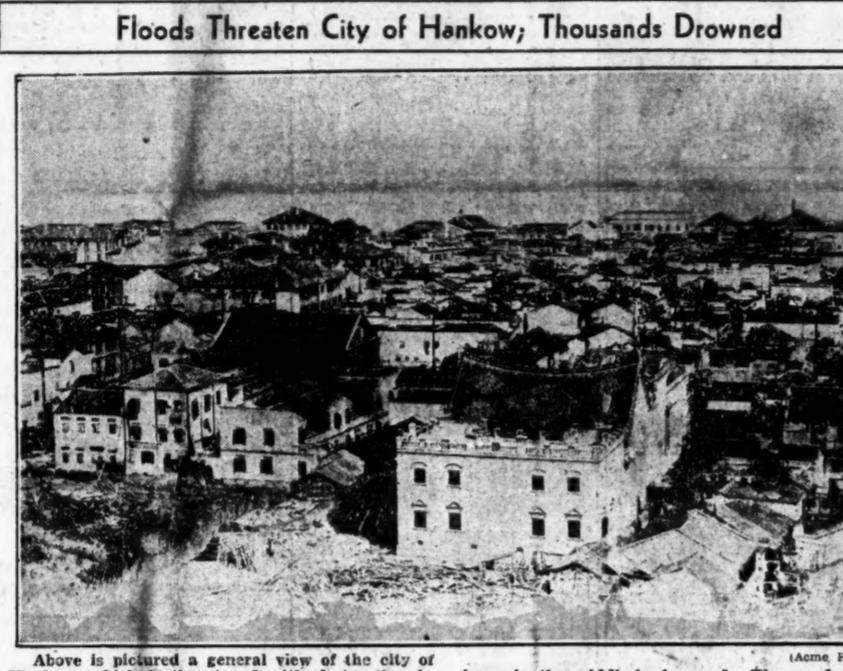
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IOWA: Generally fair tonight and Tuesday; cooler tonight. Slight rain possible in extreme northwest portion.

ILLINOIS: Fair, light rain Tuesday; in extreme north, mostly cloudy in central and south portions. Probably local showers in extreme south.

MISSOURI: Local thunderstorms this afternoon or evening. Light rain within the next 12 to 36 hours in most of the southeastern and south-central portions of the state. Otherwise, the weather will be generally fair in those states tonight and Tuesday.

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#### Floods Threaten City of Hankow; Thousands Drowned



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## MacDonald Quits as Premier of England

London—(INS)—Great Britain's second attempt in history at a socialistic form of government came to a dramatic end today when Prime Minister J. Ramsay MacDonald confessed the inability of his labor cabinet to cope with the nation's financial crises and submitted his resignation to King George.

The monarch accepted the resignation, and the labor ministry which has guided the destinies of the nation since May, 1929, went out of existence.

At the request of King George, Premier MacDonald immediately tendered the task of attempting to form a coalition government embracing the three leading parties, but there seemed every likelihood of failure owing to the refusal of David Lloyd George, liberal chieftain to participate.

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Mrs. Herman Thede is Believed Injured Internally

Several persons were injured, one seriously in a series of automobile accidents near Muscatine Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Herman Thede of near Duthie is in the Herkimer hospital where the outcome of her injuries was still in doubt today, and Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Allman, Route 3, Muscatine, are also in the hospital with less serious injuries as result of a collision near the Bloomington grange hall on the Moscow road, a short distance north of Muscatine, late Sunday afternoon.

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Delbert Arnold of Atalissa, district No. 3, was first in the list of 30 or more contestants who came under the finish line. He polled a total vote of \$6,429,700. Next in order came G. W. Dunphy of New York City, also district No. 3. His subcriptions amassed a vote total of \$6,399,900. Those subscriptions were won for him by the auxiliary prize of \$300 in gold.

Heinrich Petersen of Big Rock, (Continued on Page Two)

Anderson, Ind.—(INS)—Four persons were dead today, having been killed when their car was demolished by an eastbound New York Central passenger train speeding 70 miles an hour Sunday.

The dead, all of Anderson, were: Noble Johnson, 28, the driver, Herman Johnson, his brother, Miss Euila Steel, and Miss Margaret Vanner.

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## 3,000 PEOPLE HEAR BAKER AT CHARLES CITY

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are easily assisted by some newspaper men, Mr. Baker said.

### Free Press Champion

As long as he is connected with the Free Press, the speaker said, the farmer is going to be that newspaper being the mouth piece and champion of the farmer and laborer. This statement was greeted with much applause.

The speaker said the medical group is trying to destroy the confidence which had been placed in him by thousands of farmers, but assured the audience of his good faith.

Mr. Baker declared he had entered the fight for the farmer because he believed in the right and at no time has there ever been or will there ever be sufficient money in the United States to get him to sell out to any group or groups, and if the people of Iowa place enough confidence in him to elect him governor he would never betray their confidence.

The speaker said the first thing he would do if he were elected governor would be to secure the last bonds possible and "sweep out of the state house all the pay roll leashes with which the state has been burdened for the past 46 years."

Many people from surrounding counties were in attendance and many additional speaking dates were arranged before Mr. Baker left the grounds.

## BOYS TAKE CAR, STAGE ROBBERY

Two Iowa Lads Being Sought by Police Over State

DES MOINES, Ia.—(INS)—Driving a brown Nash sedan which was stolen from J. H. Walters of Council Bluffs in that city about 1 a. m. today two youths this morning were believed to be fleeing east on highway No. 32 after holding up an oil station attendant here at five o'clock.

Police in cities east of here were immediately alerted to on the lookout for the pair. They secured \$60 in cash in the robbery here, when they entered an oil station and ordered Pat Kelsey, the attendant, to turn over all his money to them.

**Agent for U. S. Army Band Will Speak at Children's Matinee**

Children of Muscatine have been invited to a free matinee at the Fox Palace theater Tuesday when Mrs. Marie Dobie Jones, an advance agent for the U. S. Army band, will tell them of the band's mascot. A moving picture comedy will also be shown the children.

The matinee, which is scheduled to commence at 4:30 p. m., is being conducted to stimulate interest in the army band which will offer a concert at Jefferson field here on Sept. 4.

Seven other bands have been secured to take part in a contest which will be held in connection with the appearance of the band.

## Breakdown in Motor Causes C. P. Hanley To Drop from Races

C. P. Hanley, local speedboat driver, who entered his boat "Baby Ethel" VIII in the Pottawattomie race Saturday at the Sunapee, was forced to the sidelines because of a breakdown in his motor while warming up. Mr. Hanley was entered in the class B, C, D, and free for all races.

Mr. Hanley and "Speed" Anderson of Peoria, Ill., and other members of the Midwest association, were general supervisors at the races.

Herbie Kay and his 12 piece N. B. C. radio band played for Burlington dancers Saturday night as part of the dedication program for the new \$7,000 bathhouse constructed by the Burlington Outboard club.

## Gangsters' Plans Go Awry in Gotham

NEW YORK—The gangster friends who staged a gun-fire execution of two enemies bobbed their bloody work, police said to-day.

After lining up their victims against a brick wall opposite a slaughter-house, the gangster execution squad turned on the lead.

Anthony Ferrari was riddled to death with bullets.

But they left Angelo Curran, his pal, still alive, five bullets in him and, according to police, accidentally turned the bullet spray on the ex-convict, Murray Leonardi, who had betrayed the victims.

Leonardi was charged with homicide today as one of the slayers.

## Play Day Is Held At Marshalltown

MARSHALLTOWN—(Special)—A crowd of 202 members of the Iowa Federation of Business and Professional Women representing 18 of the 54 clubs of the state gathered here Sunday afternoon for their first annual play day.

Des Moines had the largest representation with 36 women present.

Others were: Waterloo 22, Centerville 17, Fort Dodge 12, Davenport 10, Rockwell City 10, Frazer 10.

## Prize Winning Baby



Donna Rae Roth, who in the 20 months of her young life has traveled nearly 10,000 miles by automobile, was adjudged the grand champion baby Thursday, Aug. 20, at the better babies contest held at the Central States fair in Aurora. There were 800 babies and children under 6 years old entered.

### Speaking Dates Of Norman Baker

Many of our friends have phoned and written us regarding the various speaking dates arranged for Norman Baker, and we are pleased to mention them as follows:

The Ollie, Ia, speaking date has been cancelled, as Mr. Baker has found it impossible to speak at Ollie and at La Porte on the same day due to the distance between the two cities. The La Porte engagement to speak was made previous to the engagement to talk at Ollie.

August 26—La Porte, Ia. Speaking at 8 p. m. Band concert.

August 28—Gladwin, Ia.—About eight miles north of Columbus Junction. Speaking at 8 p. m.

August 29—Abingdon, Ia. Annual Community picnic. Speaks in Afternoon.

August 30—Clutter, Ia. Speaks at meeting called "Kolod Day at Sept. 1—Corgen, Ia.—All day big community picnic by American Legion and Commercial club. Speaking at 2 p. m. and at 8 p. m. by Norman Baker.

Sept. 2—Rochester, Ia. Speaking at 2:30 p. m.

September 7—Labor Day farm celebration at Spring Lake, Ia., Linn County. Will speak at 3 p. m. To make trip by airplane.

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On all above dates where possible, Mr. Baker will furnish the Calligraphic music and public address system of loud speakers to accommodate the crowds.

Speaking dates can be arranged for the appearance of Mr. Baker. Address him at Muscatine, Iowa.

## MAYOR FIGHTS POWER MERGER

EMMETTSBURG—The city council has addressed a letter to all patrons of the Emmettsburg Municipal Light & Power Co., asking them to continue with that company until such time at least as the city can determine its rights in connection with the recent sale of the plant to the Iowa Public Service Co.

Until several weeks ago, both the Iowa Public Service Co. and the Municipal Utilities Co. operated plants in Emmettsburg.

Mayor Brown has warned the purchasers against any attempt to connect the service wires of the two plants or make any change in the plant or distribution system of the Municipal company.

Just what rights the city might have are not known and it is the intent of the council to obtain legal advice on the matter.

It is the contention of some that the Iowa Public Service Co., in purchasing the Municipal plant and franchise will have to turn the municipal plant over to the city when and if the profits of the plant pay for the cost of erection and operation.

**Lockers and Locker Keys to Be Issued**

Lockers and locker keys will be issued Friday and Saturday morning to pupils who will enter the Muscatine high school this fall. Fred Messenger, high school principal, announced today.

A fee of thirty cents will be charged the student but this will be remitted at the end of the school year when the key is returned.

## Rites Held Today For Mrs. L. Bentley

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Funeral services for Mrs. Louise Hawley, who died at her home, 609 East Tenth street, were held today at 3 p. m. from the Witten Funeral home. The funeral sermon was preached by the Rev. Ira Hawley, pastor of the United Brethren church.

Immediately following the services the body was shipped to Los Angeles, Calif., where burial will be made in the Rosedale cemetery.

**With Sick Friends At Baker Hospital**

IOWA FALLS—Fire causing an

estimated loss of \$25,000 destroyed the Illinois Central railroad company's coal chute in the east part of the city Sunday.

Workmen discovered the fire near the chimney of the steam plant just

after noon Sunday. The fire department was summoned but gave little assistance since the chutes were beyond water protection.

Traffic will be delayed until

sometime today and passenger

trains and fast freights are being

route over Rock Island and M.

S. L. tracks through Abbott.

## WINNERS GIVEN IN BIG CONTEST

### Three Highest Prizes Go to Workers Out Of Muscatine

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These winners were Isabelle Gerber, Muscatine, district No. 1, \$150 cash; J. H. Soehren, Sunbury, district No. 2, \$150 in cash; F. North, Winfield, district No. 3, \$150 in cash; Miss Nana Foley, Muscatine, district No. 1, \$75 in cash; Pauline Gerber, New Boston, Ill., district No. 2, \$75 in cash and Erma Hall, Lone Tree, district No. 3, \$75 in cash.

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## AROUND THE CORNER

The following building permits were issued today from the office of H. H. Fitzgerald, city engineer: Lewis N. Miller, to put an asphalt roof on his residence on Eighth street between Lombard and Cypress street; the cost to be about \$90; Mr. John Rock, to put a roof on his residence on Eighth and Franklin between Reed and Franklin streets; Roering, to erect at tile garage on Sycamore between Eighth and Tenth streets at an approximate cost of \$400; Henry Drewes to put an asphalt roof on his residence on Lucas between Green and Eighth streets, to cost about \$92.

Teachers in the Muscatine high school are beginning to put in their appearance after spending the summer months away on vacations. R. M. Kinnan, football and basketball coach and teacher in social science will return to Muscatine Wednesday from Marshalltown, Ia., where he has been spending the past few weeks.

**Mr. Will West and daughter**

Helen, late Stineham, father of the West, 511 East Tenth street, and Mrs. Adolph Berg, 315 Gibson street, will leave Tuesday morning for a week's visit in Niles and Jackson, Mich., and Toledo, Ohio.

**Mr. and Mrs. Jack J. Schibline**

715 East Seventh street, announce the birth of a nine pound son Sunday morning. Mrs. Schibline was formerly Miss Anna Miller of Wapello.

**Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Hobes**

and daughter of Sioux City, former Muscatine residents, are visiting the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Salek, 610 Fulliam avenue.

**Mr. and Mrs. Herman Myers**

and family, of Sioux City, former Muscatine residents, are visiting friends and relatives in the city. They formerly resided in this city.

**Mr. and Mrs. Marie Hutchins and Miss Gloria Barko**

of New York City are expected to arrive in the city Friday to visit with their father, Andrew Barko, 412 Lowe street.

**Fulton Township**

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## SOCIETY CHATTER, FEATURES and HELPFUL HINTS for the WOMEN

School Alumni  
Attend Sessions  
At Rock Island

Interesting sessions and features of entertainment are scheduled at the National convention of Catholic Alumnae, Sisters of Charity, B. V. M. at Rock Island today. The convention has been in session since Saturday with a number of local alumni attending each day. Delegates from St. Mathias Alumnae club are Miss Mary Ryan, president, and Miss Anna O'Keefe. Mrs. Mildred Fogarty, who is national corresponding secretary, is also present for every meeting.

Today Miss Agatha Detthoff, Miss Ada Rolland and Miss Alice Mary Stapleton are visitors at the convention and will attend the dinner bridge to be given tonight at the Outing club in Davenport. The courtesy is being given by the Immaculate Conception Alumnae club of Davenport for convention delegates and visitors.

On Sunday the Misses Ada Rolland, Gertrude Fuller, Agnes Fuhrer, Mary Gaeta and Agatha Detthoff attended the luncheon and Golden Jubilee at St. Joseph's convention in Rock Island.

The convention closes Tuesday evening with a "Tell the Truth" dinner featured at the Blackhawk State park.

Pleasant Affair Held  
At Simmons Home

On Saturday a group of friends enjoyed a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. Simmons, 1119 East Fourth street, the occasion honoring the latter's birthday. During the afternoon card games were enjoyed with high scores won by Mrs. Roy Curtis and Lloyd Barclay. The Vancs, Givens and Bardsell received consolation awards. Later in the afternoon a supper was served to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Vance Gritton, Durant; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Barclay, Wilton; Mr. and Mrs. Grover Jennings, Wapello; Frank Bardsell, Detroit, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. John Hudnall, Tulsa, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Curtis and children; Mr. and Mrs. William Kirk, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rachall and Miss Edith Clapp of Muscatine.

Willing Workers to  
Sponsor Program

The Willing Workers class of the Island Methodist church will present a program and sell refreshments at 7:30 o'clock at the church. Refreshments will be served at a nominal fee and the proceeds will be used for the Sunday school and church improvements. The program numbers follow.

Song—By the class members.

Prayer—The Rev. W. H. Slack.

Song—Merle Foster.

Solo—Mrs. Ed Grainer.

Vocal duet with guitar accompaniment—Mrs. Harold Butcher and Maude Forte.

Play—"Just Like a Woman"—By the class members.

Vocal solo—Mrs. Elmer Corwin.

Reading—Mrs. George Schultz.

Vocal solo—Mrs. Lyle Thompson.

Closing song.

Local People Attend  
Haileigh Reunion

A number of local people attended the annual Haileigh family reunion at Marengo, Ia., Sunday. The affair was held in the city park with a basket dinner served at noon and games and contests enjoyed during the day. Among those attending from this vicinity were: Mr. and Mrs. Kelso Haileigh, Ruth and Earl Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jones and family and Mrs. Laura Reynolds of Muscatine; Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Haileigh, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Shepard and family, and Miss Florence Sauer, all of Sweetland and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bancks of Blue Grass.

Kilcare Cottage Is  
Scene of Party

Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Weber and Mr. and Mrs. William Meyers presided at a dinner party at Kilcare cottage on Cedar River Saturday evening. The affair was given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Price and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Beyers of Muscatine and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Montgomery of Davenport. The occasion also honored Mrs. Beyers' birthday. Covers were placed for 15 and a large birthday cake formed the table centerpiece.

Each formed the pleasure of the guests after dinner with Mrs. Meyers and Mrs. Weber winning high scores.

Vanatta Family to  
Hold Reunion

Members of the Vanatta family will hold their fifteenth annual reunion at Weed park on Thursday. A picnic dinner will be served at noon with each family furnishing dishes and silver. All members are urged to be present.

Sunshine Club Women  
To Attend Fair

The Sunshine club of the Royal Neighbors of America will attend the West Liberty fair on Wednesday. Those planning to attend are requested to meet at the court square at 12 o'clock noon.

Island Ladies Aid  
To Hold Meeting

The Island Methodist church Ladies Aid society will hold a Friday afternoon in the Ladies hall at Frutland to make plans for a chicken and watermelon supper to be held soon at Rotary lodge.

Mona Council Will  
Meet Tuesday

Mona Council, Degree of Pocahontas will meet Tuesday evening at Redman hall for the regular business meeting. A social time and refreshments will follow.

## 152 Years Old

Reunion of The  
Grace Lutherans  
Proves Success

Special services were conducted at the Grace Lutheran church Sunday when five former sons of the congregation were present and had charge of the meeting with the Rev. John Gent, pastor of the First Lutheran church at Cedar Rapids preaching. The other four ministers assisted. They were: the Rev. William Boldt, pastor of the Lutheran church at West Point, Neb.; the Rev. Frederick Boldt of Ft. Madison, minister of the Lutheran church there; the Rev. Arthur Angersbach of Constantine, Mich., and the Rev. William Boldt of Emporia, Kan. The Rev. Ernest Windham and his wife of Everett, Pa., had expected to attend but were unable to do so.

On Sunday afternoon the congregation gave a picnic for the visiting pastors and their families at Weeds park. It was the first reunion of the local Lutheran boys who have gone into the ministry and their congregation since they have left Muscatine.

The above picture shows Mrs. Slavka Mitova of Deschaseril, a village near Varna, Bulgaria, who attributes long life to diet of raw potatoes. She claims to be 152 years old.

## (Acme Photo)

## Window Shopping

## VELVET WRAPS

Charming little wraps for evening wear throughout the fall are made of velvet, and are very brief little affairs indeed. Some of these coats reach only to the waist line and have three-quarter length sleeves, untrimmed. They are ever so feminine and charming.

## WHEN WE TRAVEL

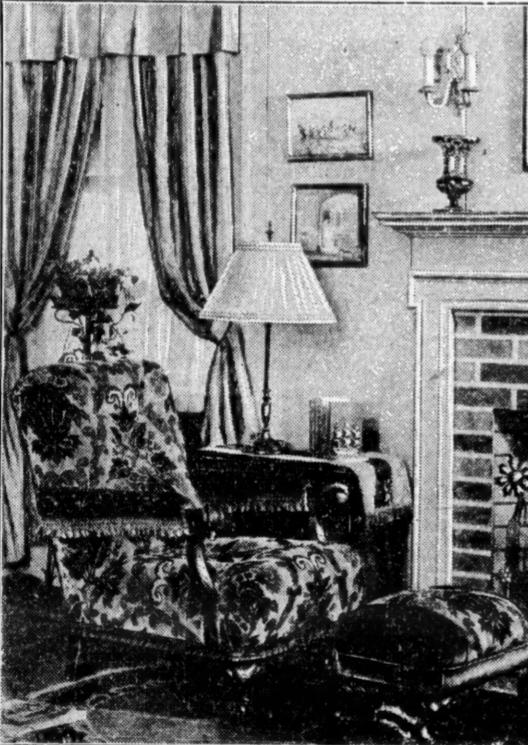
When we travel, if only for a week-end, it is a great convenience to take along a flat leather case that contains about a dozen small balls of darning cotton in the most popular shades, many, many little spools of colored threads and silk, scissors, needles in a bottle to protect from dampness, and the necessary thimble.

## FOR THAT THIRST

A new type of thermos bottle is in the shape of a quaint little pitcher, and comes in colored enamel with a small plate to match. A pitcher of this sort is an excellent choice for the Colonial guest room.

## HANDY IN THE BATHROOM

A flat box that contains a glove stretcher, glove dryer of wire, long brush, soap, etc., is a handy thing to keep in the bathroom.

The Decorator's Letter Box  
---EXPERT ADVICE ON HOME DECORATION---

Here is a Chair for Those Who Enjoy "Sinful Comfort."

Dear Beth:  
The uncomfortable chairs I've been invited to sit in at one time or another in the heat of social life or friends prompts me to ask: "Have you an easy chair in your home?" I honestly do feel like saying just that. I hope the chairs you buy for your living room will not produce a similar reaction. Give them the "comfort test" before you make your choice of chairs, and thereby retain your old ones.

The barrel chair is another living-room piece enjoying great popularity. Just as its name implies, it looks like a barrel—that is, a circular barrel. You don't know just why it is, but for some reason I always have a mental picture of a barrel chair upholstered in chintz. They are to be had in lots of materials and colors.

There was a time when the overstuffed easy chairs were made only on such lines as would make them pleasing to me. They were wonderfully comfortable, but women were simply lost in them. If you sat back as far as you wanted to, your feet dangled in midair. Now, these chairs are being made in "woman's size," with the same lines and colors, but proportioned to a woman's figure. It is very decorative and "different" looking and will lend a certain amount of distinction to your living room.

There are chairs and chairs, but beware of the uncomfortable ones. Affectionately, Fern Eture.

—Queen Anne wing back chair  
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DARE :: :: INTERPRETS  
the MODE

Black crepe de chine frock, with tiny white dots, whose interesting collar, vest and girdle effect are of white crepe de chine with tiny green dot. (Courtesy of Bruyere, Paris.)



SQUARE your shoulders and join in the great Autumn fashion parade that has formed in Paris. The black crepe de chine frock with tiny white dots, whose interesting collar, vest and girdle effect are of white crepe de chine with tiny green dot. (Courtesy of Bruyere, Paris.)

RESTFUL INDEED

A neophyte of white crepe de chine combined with absinthe silk, is both smart and unusual.

Picnic Baskets

For about two dollars one may purchase a wicker basket fitted with service for four—white enamelled plates, blue rims cups to match, forks, spoons and salts and a can opener. What more could one want except the food.

## Black Chins

A most effective tea set is of black crepe lined with white. The tea pot, sugar and creamer are all of generous proportions.

An electric flashlight put in a stocking will enable one to do a very fine job, as all threads show up clearly. This is also a splendid idea for darning on a dimly lighted porch.

It should never be necessary to tear up good linens for bandages in emergencies. Keep old rags and cloths, boll and iron them and put away. You may need them some day.

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## The Divorce Comedy

The great American comedy, "Getting a Divorce," gets bigger and funnier each year—unless you happen to be one of those who believe that marriage is a sacred institution and divorce is a tragedy. Either divorce laws should be so liberalized that unhappy married couples may obtain a divorce with less effort or the courts should require complaining spouses to make a real showing that they are entitled to have the marriage relation legally ended.

Of the several grounds on which a divorce may be obtained in most states, the one that is used the most is "cruelty." Many states, like Iowa, have provided that "cruel and inhuman treatment such as to endanger life" is a ground for divorce.

How many couples have felt it quite all right to appear before a court and tell tales that tax the imagination in their efforts to prove each other cruel and inhuman! How often is the divorce court tragedy enacted as though it were light comedy!

Illustrative of this, we cite a few of the more ridiculous examples of "cruel and inhuman" treatment complained of in divorce court, according to the press.

Mrs. Isabella Sayre, of Trenton, N. J. said, "My husband won't allow me to cook; he does it all and his job is carpentering."

A Buffalo, N. Y. woman, Mrs. Frank Nowak, said, "I'm sim-

## Medical Fallacies

## FALSE IDEAS AND PRACTICES OF ORTHODOX MEDICINE REVEALED BY NEW YORK PHYSICIAN

In yesterday's article some startling revelations were made concerning the actual practices of organized medicine showing how "regular" medicine, backed by commercialism, violates the rights of the individual and among other things would force the so-called progressive medicine on the public regardless of the preference of the individual. Dr. Benedict Lust of New York City is authority of these first hand revelations which are a result of his own personal experience and investigation. He declares that the American Medical Association is a huge business trust and its members would do the children before it is born and govern every activity of the individual from birth to death. To continue these interesting revelations—Dr. Lust declares further that the American Medical Association through its machine "has its fingers and tentacles in every department of the United States Government. They have their headquarters in every department of every State in the Union, and in every city administration of this country. There is nothing they haven't touched in society or in the schools for public instruction of the child. They have made clinics out of the schools. Their conventions are nothing but business meetings and conferences. All the health information disseminated and the medical information sent out are nothing but advertisements and business-getters for the medical doctors. Such monopolies are bad for the country. If you go to countries in Europe you will find medical freedom.

Health legislation is needed in this country, not to give the doctors more power and more privileges, but to restrict the privileges they now have. That's the kind of medical legislation we need today. No civilized people can endure such a condition any length of time as exists today in the United States. These medical men and their theories cause a great deal of our depression. We can charge these people with millions of sins of omission. They are supposed to give out health advice every year. They wanted a Federal law passed for the Department of Health and so much money appropriated so they could prevent diseases. The American people spend \$5,000,000 a year on health yet they haven't got

"Conditions are not as terrible in Chicago as in other parts of the country although the headquarters of the medical trust are located in Chicago. The City has more freedom and true democracy than the City of New York. The people would not stand for it. In New York they have medical censors on the metropolitan newspapers. Who pays them? Who do they represent? The medical trust is behind them.

"I have been arrested sixteen times. I was arrested by the Federal Government. Things are pretty rotten when the officers of the Federal Government can be hired by the medical trust to prevent me from the business I am in. It was supposed to me and it happened not only to me but to dozens of others. The medics are in every department of the Government and all through the Post Office Department. They stopped my magazine going through the second-class mails on the ground that it was not educational material. I went over to Washington to find out who decided these questions. I said, 'Is this a country of free speech and free press?' They told me the doctors had read these magazines and they were dangerous to public

## Pointed Paragraphs

Women who paint should never shed tears.

The hair on a horse's neck is his main protection.

When a juvenile goat sleeps it is a case of kid-napping.

The prodigal son went wrong, but he came back all right.

While there is life there is hope for everybody but the undertaker.

The man who carves inscriptions on tombstones is always in hard lines.

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W. D. Randall, Managing Editor:  
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ply tired out for my man drinks between 30 and 40 cups of coffee a day."

"My husband told me that kissing is barbarous and ancient and slapped my face when I asked him for a kiss," pleaded Mrs. Grace Lackey, of Chicago.

Mrs. Max Fisher, of Madison, Wis., is quoted as complaining, "He wouldn't play golf with me, although I'm pretty good at the game."

"He's worth \$30,000," says Mrs. David Shepard, of Portland, "but he made me cut his hair and shave him so he wouldn't have to buy razor blades or go to a barber."

Mrs. Joseph Lattino, of Lawrence, Mass., pouted out her story to the judge, "I had to sleep on the floor the first night we were married, while my husband slept in bed."

"I found out his fortune was only 30 cents," explained Mrs. Pauline Pitcher of Cleveland.

"My husband," said Mrs. Janet Estes, of Chicago, "spends all his time collecting picture post cards and pays no attention to me."

There you have it. The theory, of course, is that all of these women suffered cruel and inhuman treatment. There may be some virtue in a complaint that a wife had to compete with picture post cards—but it surely rates a poor example of cruelty.

## Sidewalks of New York

The sidewalks of New York, heralded in song and story as the gathering place of Rosy O'Grady and sundry other delectable characters, are rapidly becoming known to the country as the hunting ground of fiendish gangsters whose regard for children is scarcely on a par with the esteem of the sentimental song writers and Tammany Hall.

Once again, gang guns roar and another child is killed. It

seems incredible that in the world's second largest city, the lives of small children are in peril from the blazing guns of hoodlums.

Chicago, St. Louis and many other large cities of the country have come in for their share of condemnation because of their failure to handle the gang situation. Gang murders have become so commonplace that they no longer get a "play" in the newspapers unless they are unusual in some respect.

Saturday, the American Legion offered to put 30,000 men on the sidewalks of New York to patrol the city. There may be a real idea behind this offer. In the first place, there are thousands of former soldiers out of employment. In the second place, they have already demonstrated their fearlessness.

The police of the metropolitan centers have conclusively shown their inability to control the gangs and the hoodlums. Why not try the former soldier boys? If it is necessary to declare a state of martial law to make the sidewalks of the big cities free from danger to the children, by all means let us use the former doughboys for police.

We have a feeling that some of the hardboiled mud-crunchers who served in France could put the fear of the law into the hearts of the ruthless hoodlums who now recklessly wage their wars on the streets of the cities.

## Back To Barter

Many who read the announcement that the farm board has traded 25 million bushels of wheat to the Brazilian government for 1,050,000 bags of coffee will wonder if we are about to return to the primitive commerce of barter and trade.

There was a time, of course, when men exchanged the products of their hands and fields for other men's products, making direct barter and not using money or any other medium of exchange. It was a cumbersome method of doing business

and could not be revived on any great scale but the deal of the farm board with the government of Brazil was smart.

Wheat is not like many other products in that the cost to the owner increases daily because of the carrying charges. The storage charges on the 25 million bushels of wheat involved in the coffee deal amounted to \$375,000 per month. If no other result is obtained by the exchange, the storage charges will be saved.

A system of commerce based on money as a medium of exchange is apparently sound, but no system has yet been devised by which the money itself can be stabilized. The fluctuating value of money reacts on every producer and consumer in the world. A bushel of wheat will only make a given quantity of flour, bran and shorts, no matter whether it is worth forty cents or a dollar a bushel.

Only so much bread can be obtained from a bushel of wheat and it can only sustain human life in a given number of people for a certain period of time. In terms of value to the human race, a bushel of wheat does not fluctuate in value. In terms of money, its value fluctuates constantly. Its price, therefore, depends upon the value of the money and not on the value of the wheat.

It must be apparent, therefore, that what is most needed is stabilization of money value. If there is a surplus of money, its value is low. If money is in big demand, its value is high. Commodity prices in a large measure reflect the money market values. Stabilize money values and you will be well along the road to stabilization of commodity values.

## Our Platform for the People Is:

1. Less taxation.
2. Fewer State Commissions.
3. Universal school books.
4. Lower freight rates.
5. Return of river transportation.
6. A cleanup of some state institutions.
7. More efficiency in public offices.

## THE ONCE OVER

By H. I. PHILLIPS

## ELMER TWITCHELL ON THE CUBAN REVOLT

Dear Editor:  
As a newspaper reader I am disappointed with the so-called revolution in Cuba as it appears. I would not be surprised if Calvin Coolidge stepped in to organize a regiment. There are reports that he has his eye on the White House again and "With Calvin in Cuba" would sound good in any campaign.

Anyhow, write an editorial or something and see if you can't warm up the revolution. It looks to me like something produced by artificial refrigeration and 30 degrees cooler inside.

Yours truly,  
Elmer Twitchell.

## EPITAPHS FOR SUMMER TOURISTS

She is a teetotaler.  
For Fanny White;  
She signalled left—  
And then turned right!  
Here in peace  
Rests Smathers (Gus);  
He tried to block  
A Motor Bus.

Census takers report that the female population of the United States is increasing more than the male. Oh, in the summer time the woman gets all the attention, that's all.

Bandits are now holding up the carriage trade in New York. They may begin on the bicycle-built-for-two folks any time now.

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## Daily Puzzle

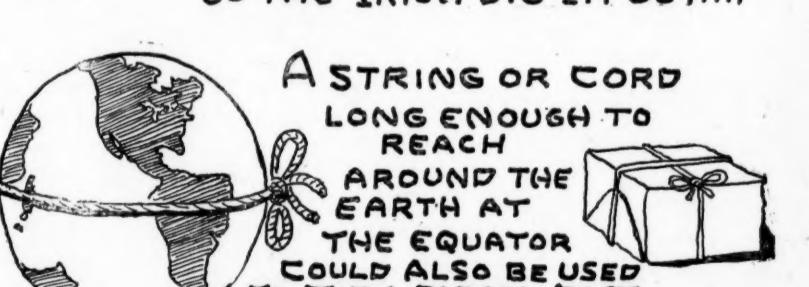
## WHAT IS WRONG?



## Silly--BUT SO . . .

By HEARD

## THEY DON'T CALL POTATOES "SPUDS" IN IRELAND—FOR THE POTATOES CAN'T HEAR—SO THE IRISH DIG 'EM OUT...



## AN OLD ARMY TRENCH SHOE—FOUND AFTER THE OISE-AISNE CAMPAIGN



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## Complete Market Reports

### GRAINS CLOSE TRIFLE EASIER IN CHICAGO PIT

#### Wheat Values Move Downward With Corn, Oats

CHICAGO.—Grains closed easier here today, recovering slightly near the finish from early lows. Final prices for wheat were 1/4 to 1/2 lower, corn 3/4 to 1/2 off and oats 1/4 to 1/2 down. Rye was 1/2 to 3/4 lower.

The entire grain list was carried to new low levels for the season, and in some instances to almost record lows during the session. September and December wheat were lowest since 1852. Corn futures were lowest since 1852. Corn futures were lowest since 1852.

Continued liquidation in corn was largely responsible for weakness in other cereals. Support was limited. Strong cables had little influence on wheat.

September wheat hit 46¢ a bushel and December 50¢.

Corn and oats again were under liquidation today and values sold off around 1¢ early with all deliveries at new lows on the crop.

September oats was at a 3¢ year low level, selling around 18¢ cent bushel. The markets displayed heaviest during most of the forenoon, but short covering later brought in a good recovery from low points.

Wheat opened as much as 3/4 higher with buying on unexpected firmness in Liverpool, but later dipped with other cereals. Trade was moderate.

Liverpool was 1/2 to 3/4 higher. Strength there was attributed to the resignation of the labor government and the possibility of increased tariffs. Better demand for plate, winter and Danubian wheats also had some influence.

Rye was uneven early with a moderate trade. The December future scored a new low for a week.

#### New York Stocks

CHICAGO.—(INS)—Monday's New York closing stock prices:

Advance Rumley ..... 5 1/2  
Allegheny Corporation ..... 110 1/2  
Allis Chalmers ..... 24 1/2  
American Ag Chemical of Del. ..... 11 1/2  
American Can Co. ..... 91 1/2  
American Car & Foundry ..... 10 1/2  
American & Foreign Power ..... 10 1/2  
American Locomotive ..... 10 1/2  
American Sugar Refining ..... 10 1/2  
American Tobacco "B" ..... 10 1/2  
American Water Works ..... 10 1/2  
Anaconda Copper ..... 10 1/2  
Alichem & Santa Fe ..... 10 1/2  
Aluminum Co. ..... 10 1/2  
Auburn Automobiles ..... 13 1/2  
Baltimore & Ohio ..... 10 1/2  
Bendix Aviation ..... 10 1/2  
Brockway Motors ..... 10 1/2  
Canaan Packing ..... 10 1/2  
Chicago Great Western ..... 10 1/2  
Chicago Milwaukee & St. Paul ..... 10 1/2  
Chicago Rock Island & Pacific ..... 10 1/2  
Chrysler Motors ..... 10 1/2  
Coca Cola ..... 10 1/2  
Cotton Kanner & Fenn ..... 10 1/2  
Montgomery Ward ..... 10 1/2  
National Biscuit Co. ..... 10 1/2  
Nash Motor ..... 10 1/2  
National Dairy ..... 10 1/2  
National Power & Light ..... 10 1/2  
New York Central ..... 10 1/2  
New York Central ..... 10 1/2  
New York Harbor & Hart ..... 10 1/2  
Norfolk & Western ..... 10 1/2  
Ottie Steel ..... 10 1/2  
Packard Motors ..... 10 1/2  
Pan American Petroleum Co. ..... 10 1/2  
Pannontonian Lasky ..... 10 1/2  
Pennick & Ford ..... 10 1/2  
Pennsylvania ..... 10 1/2  
Petroleum ..... 10 1/2  
Philips Petroleum ..... 10 1/2  
Pittsburgh Plate Glass ..... 10 1/2  
Pur-Oil ..... 10 1/2  
Radio Corporation ..... 10 1/2  
Radio & Orthophase ..... 10 1/2  
Remington Rand ..... 10 1/2  
Republic Steel ..... 10 1/2  
Reynolds Tobacco "B" ..... 10 1/2  
Royal Dutch ..... 10 1/2  
Sears, Roebuck & Co. ..... 10 1/2  
Shell Union ..... 10 1/2  
Missouri Pacific ..... 10 1/2  
Do p/c ..... 10 1/2  
Standard Brands ..... 10 1/2  
Standard of California ..... 10 1/2  
Standard New Jersey ..... 10 1/2  
Stearns Warmer ..... 10 1/2  
Studebaker Motors ..... 10 1/2  
Texas Co. ..... 10 1/2  
Timken Rollerbearings ..... 10 1/2  
Union Carbide ..... 10 1/2  
Union Pacific ..... 10 1/2  
Mid-Cont. Petroleum ..... 10 1/2  
Missouri Pacific ..... 10 1/2  
Do p/c ..... 10 1/2  
United Felt & Cloth ..... 10 1/2  
Vanadium Steel ..... 10 1/2  
Wabash Railroad ..... 10 1/2  
Western Electric ..... 10 1/2  
Westinghouse Electric ..... 10 1/2  
White Motors ..... 10 1/2  
Willys Overland ..... 10 1/2  
Yellow Truck ..... 10 1/2

#### Representative Livestock Sales

CHICAGO.—(INS)—Representative live stock sales total: (continued)

#### LIGHT HOGS

WHEAT ..... 48 16 5.70  
50 312 52 300 5.90  
52 265 54 250 6.00  
56 170 65 58 172 6.00  
60 175 65 62 176 6.70  
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#### HEAVY

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CUBAN PRESIDENT DEPARTS FROM  
HAVANA TO CONFER WITH REBELS



DEPOSITORS IN DEFUNCT BANK OF U. S.  
MARCH ON CITY HALL IN N. Y.

Havana Police on Guard at Outskirts of City

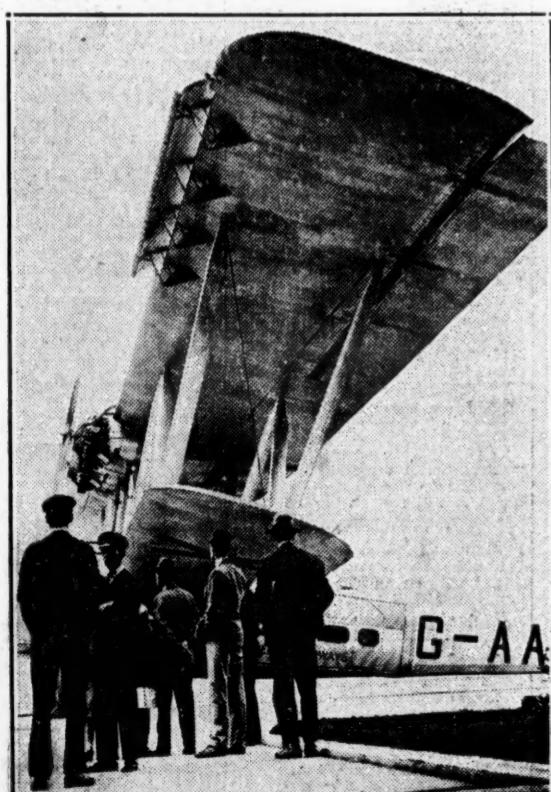


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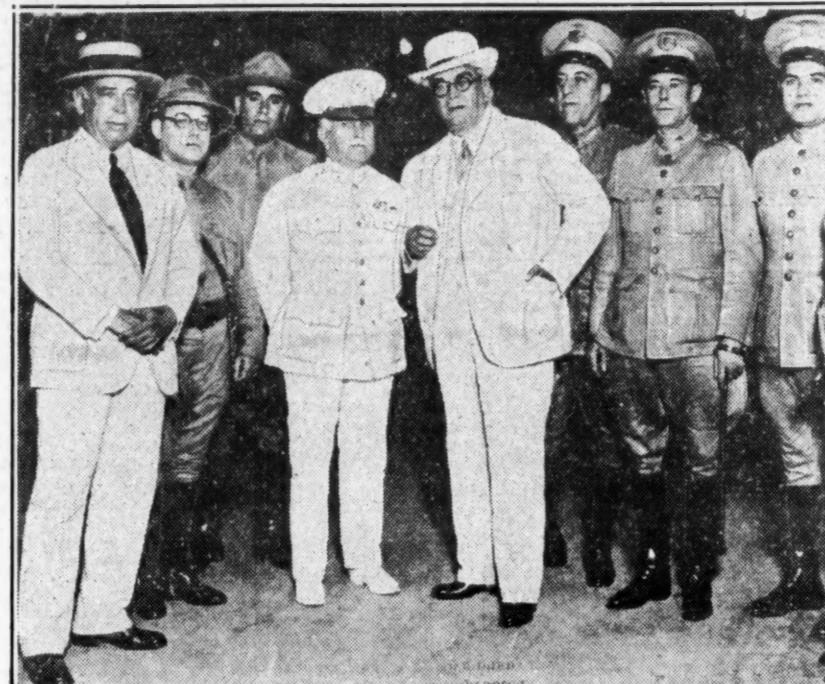
(Photo by Acme)  
Police investigation into the mysterious shooting of Senator Roy T. Yates, of Paterson, N. J., in the New York apartment of Miss Ruth J. Cranmer, disclosed the fact that the pretty blonde (pictured above) was on the New Jersey State pay roll, having been engaged by Yates for "dependency research work." She's being held on suspicion of felonious assault in connection with the shooting.

Giant British Air Liner Takes Off



Its great wings towering over the few spectators who gathered to see her off, England's gigantic air liner "Hannibal" is seen poised on the runway at Croydon Airport, London, a few minutes before she roared into the air on flight to Paris, France.

Pres. Machado Enroute to Heart of Rebel Area



Entire Population of Aklivak on Hand to Greet Lindy and Anne

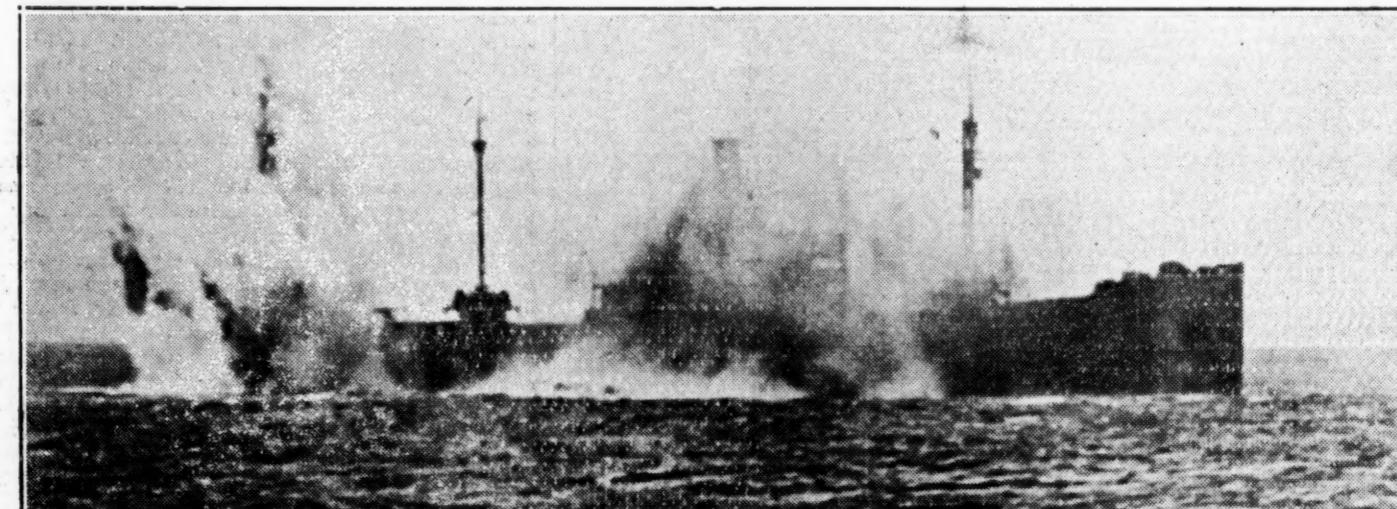


Rear Coach Breaks Loose, lunges Down Mountainside



Careening down the mountainside after breaking loose from the end of the Lehigh Valley Express, this coach plunged off the rails at first turn, tore its way through several autos in its path, uprooted many trees and finally came to a stop in this manner after crashing into home of Edwin Lymphany at Newport, Pa.

Army Airmen and Coast Guard Send Dismasted Steamer to Watery Grave off Cape Henry, Va.



With aerial bombs dropped by army airmen from Langley Field, popping all about her for more than an hour, the old steamship Mount Shasta lived a charmed life until this bomb scored a hit and tore a gaping hole in her plates above water line. Remainder of bombs did little damage and she continued to float. The Coast Guard Cutter Carrabassett finally came up and sent home the shot that sent the ship to the bottom.

United in Fashionable Wedding



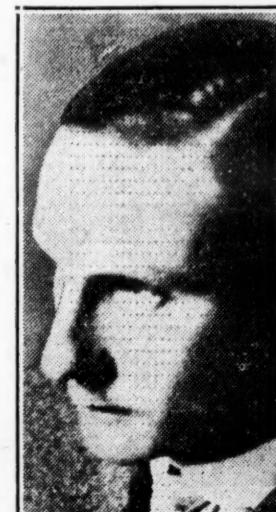
While a large gathering of elite looked on, Miss Florence J. Loew, of New York and Newport, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Gandy Loew, became the bride of Robert E. Strawbridge, Jr., International polo player, of Philadelphia, in ceremony performed in Newport, R. I. Here's glimpse of the bride and groom after ceremony.

Angry Depositors Demand State Refund Bank Losses



Their fury unabated despite driving downpour which soaked them to the skin, several hundred depositors in the defunct Bank of United States, marched on City Hall in New York, bearing aloft banners and placards demanding that their deposits be refunded by the state and that the bank directors be severely punished. This photo shows part of the crowd, as they swarmed about outside City Hall.

To Marry Princess



Latest member of European royalty to start down the trail that leads to the altar is Infanta Beatrice, eldest daughter of Ex-King Alfonso of Spain. Her engagement to Prince Alvaro of Bourbon Orleans (above) has recently been announced from the Spanish royal family's exile residence.

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